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House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515*

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The Honorable Peter DeFazio
Chairman
House Committee on Transportation
and Infrastructure
2134 Rayburn House Office Building
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Sam Graves
Ranking Member
House Committee on Transportation
and Infrastructure
1135 Longworth House Office Building
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman DeFazio and Ranking Member Graves,

I write to request funding for the Saratoga Pedestrian Walkway Project in the legislation to reauthorize federal surface transportation programs. The project sponsor for this project is the City of Saratoga and the project is located on State Route 9 in Saratoga, California 95070.

If included in this legislation, the funding will be used to build a pedestrian walkway between downtown Saratoga, California and the nearby Hakone Estate and Gardens. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars because it will provide important public benefits including providing a pedestrian connection between these destinations and a safer alternative to walking along the narrow shoulder of State Route 9 as many residents do today.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Thank you for your attention to my important request.

Most gratefully,

Anna G. Eshoo
Member of Congress